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## The Kenna Bank & Trust Co. OF KENNA, N. M.

The depositors in this Bank are secured by the laws of this Territory to the extent of \$30,000 00.

Our officers are bonded and we carry burglary insurance. Every safeguard of modern Banking protects you. Come in and see us.

The Kenna Bank & Trust Co.

## IT IS TIME TO PLANT

Onion Sets, Onion Seed, Potatoes and early Garden Seeds. We have them, send for catalog.

Roswell Seed Co.,  
Roswell, New Mexico.

### Contest Notice

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Jan. 14, 1910.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by James T. Teague, Kenna, New Mexico, contestant, against Homestead Entry No. 1234, made Dec. 2, 1906, for 1/4 Sec. 14 and 1/4 Sec. 15, Township 4 S., Range 20 E., by Newton F. Saeley, contestee, in which it is alleged under date of January 4, 1910, that said Newton F. Saeley has wholly abandoned said tract, has not resided upon, improved or cultivated said land or any part thereof for more than six months next prior to date of affidavit, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, in time of War. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 4th, 1910, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Kenna, Chaves County, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. on March 10, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 14, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
Jan. 25 Feb. 18.    T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

### Contest Notice

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Jan. 17, 1910.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Zelle A. Smith, contestant, against Homestead Entry, No. 9873, made Oct. 5, 1906, for 1/4 Sec. 20, Township 4 S., Range 20 E., by Walter E. McCaul, contestee, in which it is alleged under date of March 16, 1909, that said Walter E. McCaul has wholly abandoned said tract, has not resided upon, improved or cultivated said land or any part thereof for more than six months next prior to date of said affidavit, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, in time of War. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on Feb. 26, 1910, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Kenna, Chaves County, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. on March 4, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Jan. 17, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
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### Wanted.

To borrow \$250 on 8 month's time, and have more than \$1000 collateral with which to secure payment. Call at Record office for name and address.

### Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Jan. 12, 1910.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Charles C. Wheeler, Quesada, Texas, contestant, against Homestead Entry No. 1433, made April 4, 1908, for NW 1/4 Sec. 16, Tp. 7 S., Range 20 E., by George W. Urena, contestee, in which it is alleged that said George W. Urena has wholly abandoned said tract, has not resided upon, improved or cultivated said land or any part thereof for more than six months next prior to date of affidavit, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, in time of War. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 7, 1910, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Kenna, Chaves County, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. on March 14, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Jan. 12, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

### Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., January 5, 1910.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by John M. Parker of Clovis, N. M., contestant, against Homestead entry No. 2021, made Oct. 18, 1906, for S. E. 1/4 Sec. 10, Township 7 S., Range 20 E. by David E. Flint, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said David E. Flint has wholly abandoned said tract, has not resided upon, improved or cultivated said land, or any part thereof for more than six months next prior to date of said affidavit, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, in time of War. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 12, 1910, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Kenna, Chaves County, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. on Feb. 24, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.  
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 5, 1910, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

### Are You A Mule?

Certainly not. But you are the possessor of a mule or horse. Take a look at **LOCKART**. He makes **HARNESS**.  
KENNA, N. M.

### What Things Cannot Be Done?

The Texico Trumpet tells the wonderful story of two farmers near Texico who overcome a little obstacle like financial embarrassment by boring 9 wells on their farms with \$5 worth of material which consisted of six boards, a rope, two irons a little water and a great amount of muscle and uniring effort. J. T. Wyatt and Mr. Reeves, 9 miles southwest of Texico were the men who gave to the world this unique example of skillful and economic management which ought to make every poor grumbler against the destiny of fate which gave to him hard luck and poverty bow to the earth in organized mortification. No more set it he said that in industry is founded upon capital! This incident proves the reverse.

During the leisure days of winter Mr. Wyatt and his neighbor Mr. Reeves laid the plans of the happy scheme to dig a well on their place 116 feet deep and without cost. Accordingly they took a piece of iron cylinder about 18 inches long and 6 inches in diameter, sharpened it at the bottom, split it down one side and fastened it to an 8 foot two by-four with strip iron. The derrick consisted of 3 16-foot two-by-fours and a common well pulley and necessary amount of rope completed the drill. Then began the drilling using physical power of which there was an abundant supply. The cylinder was worked up and down in the hole which was flushed with water until it was full of dirt when it was pulled up and emptied. When rock was reached they changed their tactics using instead a heavy 6 inch iron wedge fastened between 2 two by-fours, pulling up the rock with the cylinder after chopping it with the wedge. Through 14 feet of rock they went making 5 feet a day striking the gravel bed and 9 feet of water at a depth of 116 feet. The entire feat was accomplished in 12 days thus averaging nearly 10 feet per day. The time and energy upon it were well worth while and their example might be followed with profit by others not only in the matter of digging through earth to find water without financial backing but in overcoming any kind of a difficulty without the wished for facilities. These industrious farmers stand out as living monuments of the good old adage; Where there's a will there's a way.—Hagerman Messenger

Two Irishmen, Mike and Pat, stood looking at bricklayers who were working on a building that was being erected when the following conversation was overheard:  
Mike—Pat, kin, yes tell me what keeps them brick layers from getting on with the job?  
Pat—Sure, Mike, it's the mortar.  
Mike—Not by a long sight. That keeps them apart—Hagerman's Weekly

A brother invited friends to Thanksgiving dinner, and as the colored servant entered the room he accidentally dropped the platter that held the turkey. The host in a most impressive tone said: "My friends, never in all my life have I witnessed an event so fraught with disaster to the various nations of the globe. In this calamity we see the downfall of Turkey, the upsetting of Greece, the destruction of China and the humiliation of Africa."

She    She    She    She    She    She    She

**She**  
MAY NOT BE VERY BIG

She may not have red hair. But when she says she wants a new house, or a new porch, or anything in the hardware line, you had better get busy and avoid trouble. And when she tells you that the BEST PLACE to BUY all the material is at the KENNA LUMBER CO., don't argue because she knows and we are ready to help her prove it.

We handle everything in the line.

**Kenna Lumber Co.**

She    She    She    She    She    She    She

Joe E. and John W. Rhee of Roswell have closed a deal with J. P. White, manager of the Littlefield Cattle Company, for the purchase of all the LFD four and five-year-old steers on the company's ranges in New Mexico and Texas for delivery in the early part of next April at Bovina and Kenna at \$41 per head. It is believed there will be 3,200 head which will make the purchase cost up, \$131,200. Most of the cattle are extra fine, large five-year-old steers. Rhee Bros. expect to ship the cattle to their Kansas pastures. No such price has been paid this season for such a large bunch of cattle and the sale is regarded as one of the best ever made in the Pecos valley. Tribune—Citizen.

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Now, little boys," said a Sunday school teacher as he leaned at the little faces before him, "what lesson can we learn from the busy busy bee?"  
"I know," said Tommy.  
"Yes Tommy," said the kindly faced man, "and what is it?"  
Promptly said Tommy: "Not to get stung."

John Gunter, originally from Ford County, Tex., who has a fine claim about ten miles west of here, was in Kenna Saturday on business. He has been working the alfalfa district, near Lake Arthur, for some time, but now on his claim, with four big mules and a Sulky plow tearing up the sod and getting ready for a spring crop. John will, of course, farm "According to Gunter," which undoubtedly spells success.

Full of meaning  
The school teacher told Tommy to write a sentence using the word "assassinate." Tommy wrote: "Nate was a school teacher who didn't like to be sassied so the bad boys got whipped for a sassin' Nate."—Kansas City Times.

Attorney Agreed with the Court.  
A lawyer came into court drunk the judge said to him: "Sit down, sorry to see you in a situation which is a disgrace to yourself and family and the profession to which you belong."  
This is a proof elicited the following colloquy:

"Did your honor speak to me?"  
"Did I said sir, that, in my opinion, you disgraced yourself and family, the court and the profession by your course of conduct."

"May I—I—please your honor or I have been an attorney in—in this court for fifteen years, and permit me to say your honor, that this is the first correct opinion I ever knew you to give."—Dynder Advertiser.

A little fellow rushed breathlessly into a drug store.  
"Please, sir, some liniment and some cement!"

"What?" asked the puzzled clerk. "What's the trouble?"  
"My head's popping on the head with a pin!"

### SPECIAL DISPATCH to the JOURNAL

Roswell, N. M., Feb. 21.—The Chaves county court house at Roswell, built eighteen years ago at a cost of thirty-five thousand dollars was sold at public auction today to R. W. Smith for five thousand and eighty dollars. The buyer is required to clear the ground by April 15th to make way for the new one hundred and thirty thousand dollar court house which is to replace the old one. The buyer will utilize the old material in the building of the new court house, which will be one of the finest in the southwest.